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Country: International

Subject: A Tankship Company's Monthly Operations Report - June 1953

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"A total of 87 tankers were in service at the end of June, including 53-owned.

"OTC reported fixtures in US Atlantic coastwise trading declined to approximately USMC-35% to USMC-50% for dirty vessels. In other world trades fixtures for dirty vessels averaged USMC-40% to USMC-45% with one super tanker of 24,000 tons being fixed for a voyage from Persian Gulf to California at USMC-55%. There was little activity in Consecutive Voyage chartering; however, 2 vessels were fixed until the end of the year at USMC-37-1/2% and USMC-40%."

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